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Hello Tom.

DEQ has reviewed the "Focused Feasibility Study - Siltronic Corporation, Portland, Oregon" dated October 23, 2007 as amended December 19, 2007 (VOC Plume FFS). An electronic copies of our comments letter and the comments provided by the Tribes shared consultant (Stratus Consulting, Inc.) are attached.

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A hard copies of both documents will be sent to you via regular mail this week.

The VOC Plume FFS presents Siltronic evaluation of removal action (i.e., source control measures [SCMs]) alternatives for the northern portion of the site, and identifies a recommended alternative. Based on our review of the VOC Plume FFS and supporting documents, DEQ does not concur with Siltronic's recommendation to use enhanced in-situ bioremediation (EIB) near the river and in the vicinity of the former solvent underground storage tank system (Former UST System). For reasons detailed in the attached letter, DEQ has selected EIB for use in the Former UST System vicinity combined with contaminant migration control and containment SCMs near the river.

As indicated in the attachment, DEQ appreciates and acknowledges the work completed by Siltronic to evaluate the effectiveness of EIB at treating VOCs. These efforts identified a removal action technology with application in the portion of the site with the highest concentrations of VOCs detected in the subsurface.

Please feel free to contact me with questions regarding this e-mail and/or attachment.

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